# **Hiwassee River** Watershed Event!

**Hosted By Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Division of Water Resources** 

## WHAT?

Watershed Event.... for the Hiwassee River Watershed

# WHO?

EVERYONE..... who lives, works and plays in the watershed

# WHEN?

Thursday, July 30<sup>th</sup>..... at 5:00 pm ET

## WHERE?

McMinn County Expo Center Layman Building Athens Regional Park 2405 Decatur Pike Athens, TN 37303

#### WHY?

To learn about our water resources.... & how to protect them!



WHAT IS A WATERSHED? Well.....It's simply a land area that drains into a particular stream or lake. EVERYONE lives in a watershed!

A healthy watershed is important because these waters supply our drinking water, water for agriculture, habitat for plants and animals as well as recreational opportunities like swimming, fishing and boating.

The Hiwassee River Watershed is over 2,000 square miles! Half in Tennessee (Bradley, Hamilton, McMinn, Meigs, Monroe and Polk counties), and half in North Carolina.

It is up to all of us to protect and improve the water resources where we live!

Come on out and find out how to get involved.

For more information please contact: Tyler Jeffrey at 423-634-5782 or Tyler.Jeffrey@tn.gov https://www.facebook.com/TDECWatershedManagement



Door Prizes



**Light Refreshments** 







Contests

Learn & have fun!

